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SUBJECT: DEATH OF DEA BOGOTA CHIEF

1. EMBASSY PROVIDING FOLLOWING INFORMATION ON AN IF-ASKED BASIS:
2. OCTAVIO GONZALEZ, AN AMERICAN CITIZEN, SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE OF THE DEA (DRUG ENFORCEMENT ADMINISTRATION)OFFICE IN BOGOTA WAS SHOT AND KILLED BY AN UNKNOWN ASSAILANT AT ABOUT 2:30 PM TODAY IN HIS OFFICE ON THE 19TH FLOOR OF THE UGI BUILDING IN DOWNTOWN BOGOTA. THE ASSAILANT ALSO DIED IN THE INCIDENT. NO OTHER PERSONS IN THE OFFICE WERE HARMED.
3. THE DEA OFFICE IN BOGOTA HAS BEEN ENGAGED, AS IS WELL KNOWN, IN A MUTUAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM WITH THE COLOMBIAN GOVERNMENT FOR THE CONTROL OF ILLEGAL NARCOTICS TRAFFIC.

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